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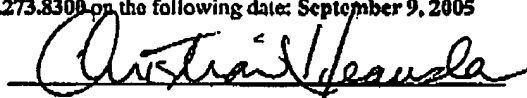
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 17, 2005**

In response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2005, having a shortened  
statutory period for response set to expire on September 17, 2005, Applicants respectfully  
request entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.**